

**NEW AND NON-OFFICIAL REMEDIES 1917.**

New and Nonofficial Remedies, 1917, contains descriptions of the proprietary and unofficial medicaments which the Council deems worthy of recognition by the medical profession. Every physician who desires to further the cause of scientific prescribing, who is anxious to see this country purged of the blight of the nostrum, and who desires to aid in diminishing the domination of commercialism in therapeutics in this country should have a copy of this book for ready reference.

**The Annual Reprint of the Reports of the Council on Pharmacy and Chemistry,**

for 1916, contains the reports of the Council which were adopted and authorized for publication during 1916. It gives the reason why preparations which have been considered by the Council were admitted to New and Nonofficial Remedies. It also explains why certain preparations included in previous volumes are not contained in the latest (1917) edition of New and Nonofficial Remedies. Up-to-date physicians should possess the Annual Council Reports, as well as New and Nonofficial Remedies.

New and Nonofficial Remedies will be sent postpaid for \$1.00 and the Annual Council Reports for 50 cents, by the American Medical Association, 535 North Dearborn street, Chicago.

W. A. PUCKNER, Secretary,  
Council on Pharmacy and Chemistry.

**THE APRIL MEETING OF THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.**

The regular meeting of the State Board of Health was held in Sacramento, April 7, 1917. There were present: President George E. Ebricht, Vice-President F. F. Gundrum, Secretary Wilbur A. Sawyer, Dr. Robert A. Peers, Dr. Edward F. Glaser and Dr. Adelaide Brown.

President Ebricht, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health and Hygiene of the State Defense Council, presented a report, outlining the work that must necessarily be undertaken by the various bureaus of the State Board of Health under the new State Defense Act. Dr. Ebricht placed special emphasis upon the importance of the control of water supplies and sewage disposal facilities, the work of sanitary inspections, the eradication of malaria, the examination of foods, and the preparation for increased work in epidemiology. Dr. Ebricht's report also touched upon the necessity of preparation for expert work in bacteriology.

The proposed five years and three months' course of training at the Lane Hospital, San Francisco, was accepted as meeting in full the requirements of the Nurses' Registration Act for an accredited training school.

The action of the Secretary in appointing Professor W. B. Herms and Mr. Stanley Freeborn of the University of California to continue mosquito survey work during the present year, without salary, was confirmed.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Director of the Bureau of Tuberculosis, the Santa Clara Hospital was placed upon the list of hospitals eligible for the state subsidy.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Director of the Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, permits for supplying water to consumers were issued to the city of Lodi, the Hayward Water Company and the Marysville Water Company.

The Secretary was authorized to appoint employees of municipalities and public service corporations as inspectors of the State Board of Health for the purpose of patrolling watersheds under the direction of the Bureau of Sanitary Engineering.

More than one hundred food and drug cases next came before the board and were passed upon.

W. A. SAWYER, Secretary.

**NEW MEMBERS.**

Abbott, P. F., Oakland.  
Devine, C. T., Oakland.  
Harbeck, Chas., Hayward.  
Hanley, Jas. C., Hayward.  
Smith, A. C., Oakland.  
Shade, M. A., Oakland.  
Johnson, Edwin E., Concord.  
George, W. S., Antioch.  
Deissinger-Keser, M., Richmond.  
Fraser, W. W., Richmond.  
Vestal, Hall, Richmond.  
Breneman, J. T., El Cerrito.  
Martin, Wallace P., Fresno.  
Christal, Chas. H., Eureka.  
Bittner, C. L., Sacramento.  
Crawford, J. W., Sacramento.  
Hale, Nathan Geo., Sacramento.  
Lyman, Timothy, Sacramento.  
Munger, Arthur Lee, Jr., Sacramento.  
Zimmerman, Harold, Sacramento.  
Evans, H. R., Trona.  
Strong, D. Chas., San Bernardino.  
Pedicord, Harper, Fort Bragg.  
Stout, Geo. W., Ukiah.  
Liftchild, Judson, Ukiah.  
Gordon, S. B., Salinas.  
Davis, W. W., Brea.  
Boyd, J. P., Santa Ana.  
Ryan, L. M., Banning.  
Green, Jonathan, San Francisco.  
Tavlopoulos, Jno. N., San Francisco.  
Casper, Ervin J., San Francisco.  
Hurwitz, Samuel H., San Francisco.  
Smithwick, J. M., Byron Hot Springs.  
O'Neill, A. A., San Francisco.  
Tobriner, Oscar, San Francisco.  
Thomas, R. W., San Diego.  
Dunlop, Florence, San Francisco.  
Fife, Joseph, San Francisco.  
Cookinham, F. H., San Francisco.  
Harvey, Richard W., San Francisco.  
Green, Jonathan, San Francisco.  
Eude, F. Macbeth, Pasadena.  
Hall, Wm. Ethelbert, Los Angeles.  
Littlefield, E. W., Los Angeles.  
Morrison, W. A., Los Angeles.  
Stookey, Byron, Los Angeles.  
Zarraga, Fernando, Los Angeles.  
Rumwell, M. E., San Francisco.  
Parsegan, J. E., San Francisco.  
Fujimori, N., Los Angeles.  
Johnson, C. A., Los Angeles.  
Lettice, Fred E., Los Angeles.  
Newcomer, Paul W., Los Angeles.  
Bishop, F. C., Los Angeles.  
Friedman, Maurice, Los Angeles.  
Jesbery, Simon, Los Angeles.  
Campbell, Matthew, Los Angeles.  
Boonshaft, Louis, Los Gatos.

**RESIGNED.**

Plincz, John K., San Francisco.

**DIED.**

Gochenauer, David, San Diego.  
Dozier, Leonard F., San Francisco.  
Parsons, Carl Gehr, Hollywood.  
Magnus, Max, San Francisco.  
Brune, August E., San Francisco.  
Richard, Henry Endicott, Oakland.  
White, John L., Sacramento.  
Horton, Theron W., Honcut.  
Elmer, Clyde Jason, Los Angeles.  
Rosencrantz, Nathaniel, San Francisco.  
Felt, Rae, Eureka.  
De Puy, Anson A., Oakland.  
Pollard, John W., Los Angeles.  
Noble, Paul B., ———.